

(c) and (d)—The Assistant Employment Officer who happened to be an invalid was placed in charge of the Exchange on a temporary basis on account of exigencies of circumstances. As stated in reply to clause (a) above, the post of Employment Officer has since been filled up. During the period when the Assistant Employment Officer was in charge of the Exchange, there were some complaints against the Exchange which were duly enquired into and action was taken to set right certain procedural irregularities.

Third Report of the Committee on Petitions and Third Report of the Committee on Subordinate Legislation (Presentation)

SRI B. P. KADAM (Deputy Speaker) —I present the Third Report of the Committee on Petitions, and it may be deemed to have been presented.

SRI M. B. RAMASWAMY (Anekal).—I beg to present the Third Report of the Committee on Subordinate Legislation.

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER (The Reports are presented.

Petition by Chairman Etc., of Village Panchayat and others of Alur about grant of forest land for horticultural purposes (Presentation)

SRI V. M. GHADI (Haliyal).—I present a petition signed by the Chairman, Village Panchayat, Alur and six others regarding grant of forest land for the purpose of horticulture.

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—The Petition is presented.

Notice of a question of Privilege against Editor of Salar for an Editorial

† SRI A. K. ANWAR (Bhadravati).—Myself, Sri Hameed Shah, Sri Nadaf and other Five M.L.As of this House have given a notice of the Breach of Privilege by the Newspaper "Daily Salar" of Bangalore who, in their issue dated 12-4-1975, written something condemning the Legislators, particularly the Muslim Legislators. They had written that the Muslim Legislators are useless, unfit, show boys of Congress, doing nothing for the Community and so on. It has assassinated our character. The Editor, Publisher and the Printer of this Paper have no business to write such things. They have stated that we are stars and also mentioned one grown up man of the Cabinet as the raising star. I request the Chair to take suitable action on the Editor, Printer and Publisher of that Paper and direct them to unconditionally apologise to this August House. This paper is getting Rs. 10,000 to Rs. 15,000 of Government advertisements every month. I request the Government through the Chair to discontinue the giving of Government advertisement to this Paper and ban this paper if he did not tender unconditional apology.

ಶ್ರೀ ಹಮೀದ್ ಖಾ.—ವೇಪರ್‌ನವರು ಎಲ್ಲರಿಗೂ ಅವಮಾನ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಅವರನ್ನು ಕ್ಷರಿಸಿ ಚೀಮನ್ ಹಾಕಬೇಕು ಇಲ್ಲದಹೋದರೆ ನಮಗ್ಯಾರಿಗೂ ಉಪಾಯ ಬರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—This will have to be examined and later the explanation of the concerned Paper will have to be obtained and after we receive the reply, we will see what best can be done.

SRI A. K. ANWAR.—This may be referred to the Privileges Committee.

SRI DEPUTY SPEAKER.—Anyway, a reply has to be obtained.

SRI A. K. ANWAR.—If he does not apologise to this House, than what is to be done?

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—We will see what best can be done. I have understood the seriousness. I have given an assurance that everything possible will be done.

SRI A. K. ANWAR.—My submission is that the advertisement given to this Press every month, by the Government must be stopped.

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—Everything has to be followed by stages.

SRI A. K. ANWAR.—When I am coming out with facts and figures is it not necessary to take immediate action? That man is an anti-national and had worked against the country during the Indo-Pakistan war period.

SRI S.M.KRISHNA.—If there is a *prima facie* case against this newspaper, than, we can straight away take action...I understand, it is in Urdu and the Hon. Deputy Speaker finds it difficult to understand the contents of that letter. We will get a correct translation of what is written and proceed as per the the Rules and Procedure.

SRI A. K. ANWAR.—The advertisements now being given to this Press every month must be stopped. There is a clear charge against him. He was arrested and kept under detention during the Indo-Pakistan war period. His paper was black-listed.

SRI S.M.KRISHNA.—That is altogether a different issue. What we are primarily concerned here is the right of a Member or the Legislator to be protected in order to function freely without any fetters; Neither a newspaper nor anybody else can bring out that fetter. So far as that question is concerned, all of us are one. We are going to safeguard the interests of the Members of this August Body. The other thing is altogether a different question.

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—I got the paper just now. It is in Urdu. I know a number of languages but I do not know Urdu. To some extent, I can speak Urdu.

SRI KONANDUR LINGAPPA.—Urdu is a beautiful language.

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—Every language is beautiful. Urdu is still more beautiful. The thing is, we have to take matters by stages. Whenever a newspaper comes up with certain things, we have to give an opportunity to have it say. In some cases, they unconditionally express their apology. We will have to think what best can be done. I know in one case in Bombay. Action was taken on the Times of India where the Editor himself has come to the Assembly and given his explanations. Impulses will not help. Rights and privileges of the Members are to be protected. It is not absolutely disputed. Let it be laid to rest.

SRI C. BYRE GOWDA.—I want to raise a privilege matter,

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—Against whom?

SRI C. BYRE GOWDA.—Against Sri N. Rachaiah.

SRI S. M. KRISHNA.—Sri Rachaiah has gone to Delhi to attend the Conference of the Ministers of Social Welfare.

MR. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—He is on public duty.

SRI S. M. KRISHNA.—We can take it up after Sri N. Rachaiah comes.

Construction of a tank in Nelamangala Sanction of

† ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಟಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—(ನೆಲಮಂಗಲ) ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ನಾನು ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಒಂದು ಕೆರೆ ನಮ್ಮ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕಿನಲ್ಲಿರುವುದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮುಂಜೂರಾತಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟು ಐದು ವರ್ಷಗಳಾದವು ಮತ್ತು ಇದನ್ನು ಜಾರಿಗೆ ಕೊಡುವುದರಲ್ಲಿ ಎರಡು ಸಾರಿ ಸ್ಟೇ ಆರ್ಡರು ಕೊಟ್ಟರು. ಮೂರನೇ ಸಾರಿ ಇದನ್ನು ವಾಪಸು ತೆಗೆದು ಕೊಂಡು ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಜೀಫ್ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರು ಇಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಬಂದು ಅಸ್ತಿಭಾರ ಶಿಲೆ ಹಾಕಿ ಇದನ್ನು ಮಾಡು ತ್ತೇವೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರೂ ಇದುವರೆಗೆ ಇದರ ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡಿಲ್ಲ. ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುವ ನೋಟೀಸು ಕೊಟ್ಟು ಇಪ್ಪತ್ತು ದಿನಗಳ ಮೇಲೆ ಆಯಿತು. ಇದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟೀಕರಣ ಸರ್ಕಾರದಿಂದ ಕೇಳಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಬಿ. ನಗರಾಜ್.—ನನ್ನ ಕಡೆಗೆ ಯಾವ ಕಾಲಿಂಗ್ ಅಟೆನ್ಷನ್ ನೋಟೀಸೂ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಹೆಚ್. ಟಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ಐದು ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಹಿಂದೆ ಆಗಿದ್ದ ಜೀಫ್ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರವರು ಈ ಕೆರೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆಂದು, ಅಸ್ತಿಭಾರ ಶಿಲೆ ಹಾಕಿ ಬಂದದ್ದು ಇನ್ನೂ ಆರಂಭವಾಗಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಇದರ ಸೆಳವನ್ನು ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳಾದ ಶ್ರೀ ಚನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪನವರು ಬಂದು ನೋಡಿಕೊಂಡು ಹೋಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಮತ್ತು ಇದರ ಕೆಲಸವನ್ನು ತ್ವರಿತವಾರದ ಮುಂದುವರಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸೂಚನೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟು ಹೋಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಬಿ. ನಗರಾಜ್.—ಸರ್ಕಾರದಿಂದ ಯಾವ ಕೆರೆಗೂ ಇಲ್ಲಿಯವರೆಗೆ ಸ್ಟೇ ಆರ್ಡರನ್ನು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿಲ್ಲ. ಇಲ್ಲಿನ ಕೆರೆ ಕೆಲಸ ತಡವಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರು ಹೇಳುವಂತಿದ್ದರೆ ಅದಷ್ಟು ಇದರ ಕೆಲಸ ನಿಧಾನವಾಗದೆ ರೀತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬೆಗನೆ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೋಣಂದೂರು ಲಿಂಗಪ್ಪ.—ನಾನು ಒಂದು ನಿಲುವಳಿ ಸೂಚನೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ತಾಳಬೇಕು, ಅದನ್ನೂ ಮುಂದೆ ನೋಡೋಣ.